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SUBJECT: INDIAN PARTICIPATION IN JESSUP INTERNATIONAL  
LAW MOOT COURT COMPETITION

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1. IN PHONE CONVERSATION HINGORANI ADVISED CAO HAZLETT THAT CHITKARA, DIRECTOR, EDUCATION MINISTRY, INFORMED HIM LAST WEEK THAT MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS HAD RAISED OBJECTIONS ABOUT PROGRAM, AND, THEREFORE, INDIAN PARTICIPATION WOULD NOT BE PERMITTED. HAZLETT CALLED CHITKARA FOR CLARIFICATION. CHITKARA EXPLAINED THAT GOI WOULD BE DELIGHTED TO HAVE INDIA PARTICIPATE IN COMPETITION, BUT DID NOT WANT HINGORANI RUNNING INDIAN COMPETITION, AND BELIEVED IT TOO LATE TO ARRANGE FOR PARTICIPATION THIS YEAR. HE ASKED THAT NEXT YEAR MATTER BE REFFERRED TO HIM SO GOI COULD ARRANGE FOR LOCAL COMPETITION.

2. COMMENTS: LAST YEAR WHEN INDIAN WINNERS BROUGHT CONSIDERABLE PRESSURE ON GOI, AND WERE FINALLY PERMITTED TO TRAVEL TO U.S. PROVIDED THEY PAID OWN INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL, THERE WAS SOME CRITICISM WITHIN THE GOVERNMENT OF HINGORANI'S HANDLING OF COMPETITION. THIS CRITICISM PLUS GOI'S DESIRE TO ADMINISTER SUCH COMPETITIONS ARE PROBABLE BASIS FOR CHITKARA POSITION.  
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